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at Brookvalley. a couple from 4-H were there; Johnny Atkinson was repairing the furnace; Willem was watering the animals; April and Laura, after a while, returned from a football game. I ironed my formal shirt and talked with RTP. Monday morning between 8 and 12 he will be in surgery. At last we were know what is going on. Ann had to drive into town for some errands and I rode in with her. We made a stop at the Golf Course and I picked up an entire box (about 200 copies) of the BBC history that DWP wrote in 1979. The copies will be given away in Church on Sunday. April carried the box up the stairs for me. Very sweet of her. I assured her that I could manage but she insisted on helping. Not long after that, I walked up to the BBC with the box and put it inside the Church. Jackie Schutt was seated on the steps of the Church and she let me in. I couldn't get the 'Pulleis' to answer their door even though I knew they were home -- I could hear voices. As I was emerging from the Church, Rev. Pullin appeared. We chatted. Jeanie (Pierson) McDonough will not serve as the financial resources coordinator for the CommPac program, unfortunately. I returned to 13 PP and began to work. at 7 PM, JVB called and asked me if I wanted to go to the Highway Auction with Connie and Kathy and him. Yea, I said, and in about 10 minutes they picked me up. I was feeling somewhat "out of sorts" but very shortly after we arrived at the auction I got into the spirit of the occasion and had a good time. Four items I bought: a mirror for \$2.50; a bunch of post cards for \$2.00; a box of ties for \$1.00; a box of dishes for \$4.00. The post cards were not interesting -- mostly out of state and none of them were about the Carbondale area. The ties were largely ridiculous, but there was a lovely black bow tie in the box and so the purchase was very worthwhile. The box of dishes had some lovely metallic blue